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1. A Yugoslav Navy ordnance Institute is located about 50 meters southwest of Replatane, on the road from Tivat. It is surrounded by a wall three meters high on the southwest, and on the northeast by a two and one half meter barbed-wire fence which is set up at the foot of a steep hill. The institute employs about 400 experts who work in two shifts under the supervision of Captain 3rd class Dane Krecic, Director of the Institute. Before 1948, large amounts of infantry weapons, artillery, and some tanks were sent to this institute for repairs. Actually only a few items were repaired, and most of this equipment was turned over to smelting plants.

Map Identifications:

- 1. Guard room occupied by 20 soldiers.
- 2. Room for miscellaneous supplies.
- 3. Ordnance report ship, stone construction, 30 by 8 meters.
- 4. Light firearms repair shor, stone construction, 30 by 8 meters.
- Regain shop, h0 by 10 meters, for repair work on instruments, gauges, distance meters, and other equipment.
- Precision workshop for the manufacture of spare parts for arms and instruments.
- 7. Explosives and amunition department, 40 by

8. Torpedo repair shop.

9. Administration building.

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2. The selenika ammunition dump was stocked with ammunition unloaded from the PasUR in the spring of 19h8, and from the fall of 19h8 until the spring of 19h9 an average of two to three wagon loads per week were shipped to the dump. This dump is now filled, and am unition will be distributed from Zelenika to small dumps at Horinje, Risan and Perast.

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Map Identifications:

- 1. Ammunition dump, 50 by 8 meters, for various types of artillery ammunition.
- 2. QM food store and bakery, 50 by 8 meters.
- 3. Equipment and machine gun ammunition storage.
- i. Guard room.
- 5. Anti-aircraft emplacement equipped with two 75 mm anti-aircraft guns.
- 6. Zelenika railroad station.
- 7. Mortar ammunition dump of stone construction, two stories high, 30 by 20 meters. The road to Kumbur passes this dump, which is 1,00 meters from the Zélenika railroad station.
- 3. The Pristan dump for naval mines, a concrete construction which is partly underground, lies at the foot of Obostnik hill opposite Kumbur. This dump is guarded, and is surrounded by a barbed-wire fence. Sufficient mines are stored here to mine the entire southern Adriatic. The Vrmac explosives dump is on a hill between Tivat and Kotor. The large Opatovo ammunition dump lies 500 meters south of Lepetane on the Adrianic coast. This dump has a number of small, one-story buildings which are set between high earth walls.

